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## **CIVIL MINUTES**

**Date:** September 3, 2020 **Time:** 10:30-10:38= **Judge:** EDWARD M. CHEN

8 Minutes

Case No.: 18-cv-04865-EMC Case Name: In re Tesla Inc. Securities Litigation

Attorneys for Plaintiff: Nicholas Porritt, Adam McCall, Adam Apton Attorneys for Defendant: Sarah Lightdale, Patrick Gibbs, Samantha Kirby

**Deputy Clerk:** Angella Meuleman **Court Reporter:** Katherine Sullivan

## PROCEEDINGS HELD BY ZOOM WEBINAR

Status Conference held.

## **SUMMARY**

Parties negotiating ESI stipulation and down to the last final strokes.

Discovery: Plaintiff reported no issues have arisen; one week delay due to change of defense counsel but nothing that has jeopardized the case management schedule. Document exchange between the parties has begun. Plaintiff has received a reasonable production from Securities and Exchange Commission.

Parties are on schedule for Class Certification. Parties are discussing the narrowing of issues. Request to extend page limit likely; Court cautioned against excessive briefing.

ADR: Court inquired as to status. Opposition to class certification motion due 11/23/2020. By then, parties should have a better idea of case analysis in order for ADR to be meaningful. Court encouraged parties to begin discussions for selection of mediator and mediation platform; sooner rather than later.

Further Status Conference set 12/3/2020 at 10:30 a.m. Joint Status Report due 11/25/2020.